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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks US Patent and Trademark Office Washington, DC 20231

In response to the Official Action mailed on March 6, 2000, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

In the Claims

Please amend claims 1, 13 and 17 as shown in Attachment A1. The changes made are shown in Attachment A2.

Please add claims 18-20 as set forth in Attachment B.

REMARKS

Claims 1-17 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-17 has been canceled.

Applicant will amend the drawing in accordance with the Examiner's suggestion

Claims 1-17 have been rejected under 35 USC § 112, second paragraph, for failing to point out particularly and claim distinctly the subject matter which Applicants regard as their